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Inspection Report
Minerals Regulatory Program
Report Date: February 28, 2005

Mine Name: Black Ridge #1
Operator or Permittee Name:
Thirstystone Resources, Inc.
Permittee Mailing Address:
860 East 19th Street
Tuscon, Arizona 85719-6615

Permit number: S/053/027
Inspection Date: February 1, 2005

Inspector(s): Doug Jensen

Other Participants: None

Permit Status: Inactive
Current Acreages:
Total Permitted (Bonded): <5 acres
Total Disturbed: 4.5 acres

Weather: Clear, warm
Inspection Start Time: 4:45 PM
Inspection End Time: 5:15 PM
Site location/Area Inspected (i.e. Pit #):
Quarry
Surface Ownership: BLM
Mineral Ownership: BLM
Mineral Mined: Picture Stone
Type of Mine: Quarry

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	N/A	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (open shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Explosives, magazines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Demolition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Backfilling and Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Purpose of Inspection:

Check site for flood damage due to recent flooding in the area.

Inspection Summary:

The site remains stable and it appears that the recent heavy rains in the area have not caused any major problems. The location of the waste dumps appears to be sufficiently out of the drainage that flooding has not caused any problems.

6. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety) The access road into the site is located in a drainage, I wanted to check access into the site. There has been some impacts due to the flooding there has not been any gullying due to recent storms. A portion of the access road was located on the sandy drainage bottom and although the drainage shows that some high water had passed through the site, It appears that access can still be made by the same route.

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Photos of the site were taken and are included.

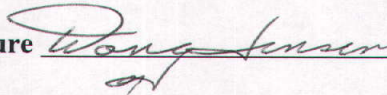
Directions to the site:

Refer to previous inspection memos.

GPS Data

None Gathered

Inspector's Signature



Date: February 28, 2005

DJ:jb

Enclosures: photos

cc: John Halton, Thirstystone Resources, Inc.

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